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FROZEN CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS, INVITATION NO. 10, ANNOUNCEMENT  
PY-299

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen, fully cooked, dark chicken fajita strips as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 14. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 18. Deliveries are to be made from Dec. 16 to Dec. 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered non-responsive.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen, fully cooked, dark chicken fajita strips, produced from ready-to-cook boneless, skinless drumsticks, thighs, and/or legs. The commodity will be packaged 5 or 10 pounds (2.27 or 4.54 kg) per plastic-film bag to a net weight of 30 pounds (13.61 kg) in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,300 shipping containers totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-299; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for Chicken Fajita Strips dated June 2005; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs; Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave. SW; Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodity listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-299, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY299  
INVITATION : 010  
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 60 CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS  
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/05 - 12/31/05

001	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
002	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
003	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
004	WILMINGTON	MA		39,000
005	AUGUSTA	ME	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
006	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
007	VINELAND	NJ		39,000
008	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
009	GRANITE CITY	IL		78,000
010	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
011	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
012	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	31,200
	PUEBLO WEST	CO	TRUCK ONLY	7,800

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013	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	117,000
014	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
015	NATIONAL CITY	CA	TRUCK ONLY	9,750
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	29,250
016	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
017	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
018	FOREST GROVE	OR		39,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 858,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 858,000

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Contracting Officer

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